



## LIBRARY WORKERS CONFERENCE

*“Strengthening Our Voices”*

March 27 – 28, 2012

London Hilton, London

### AGENDA

**REGISTRATION: MONDAY 8:00 – 9:00 PM & TUESDAY 9:00 – 10:00 AM**

#### **Tuesday, March 27th**

9:00 – 10:00 AM	<b>Registration</b>
10:00 – 10:45 AM	<b>Introduction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Vee Papadimos</li><li>• Agenda overview</li><li>• Appearance from CUPE Ontario</li></ul>
10:45 – 11:00 AM	<b>Break</b>
11:00 – 12:00 PM	<b>Campaign</b>
12:00 – 1:30 PM	<b>Lunch</b>
1:30 – 3:00 PM	<b>Panel Discussion – <i>Our identity, our value our role as Public Library Workers</i></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Trish Hennessy</li><li>• Local Progressive Councillor (London or Toronto)</li></ul>
3:00 – 3:15 PM	<b>Break</b>
3:15 – 4:15 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Library Workers Becoming Strong Voices in their Locals – Maureen</li></ul>
4:15 – 5:00 PM	<b>Local Reports</b>

## **Wednesday, March 28th**

9:00 – 9:15 AM	<b>Recap from Day One and Daily Plan</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Agenda Overview</li></ul>
9:15 – 10:15 AM 10:15 – 10:30 AM	<b>Reports</b> <b>Break</b>
10:30 – 12:00 PM	<b>Special Guests</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Libraries: The Erosion of a Public Good? Roma Harris and Heather Hill Professors, <i>Western</i></li><li>• Presentation followed by Questions and Discussion</li></ul>
12:00 – 1:30 PM	<b>Lunch</b>
1:30 – 2:30 PM	<b>Workshops: 2 Choices</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lobbying and Deputation: What to do and how to do it – Andrew Ward and Wendy Forbes</li><li>• Strategic bargaining and Bargaining Language – Sarah Declerk</li></ul>
2:30 – 2:45 PM	<b>Break</b>
2:45 – 3:45 PM	<b>Reports / Open Forum (including guests from Western)</b>
3:45 – 4:15 PM	<b>Future Directions</b>
4:15 – 5:00 PM	<b>Elections</b>

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